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TAGS: PFOR SG CB VS

SUBJ: SENGHOR MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT NIXON

REF: DAKAR 2775

DAKAR 2783

1. PRESIDENT SENGHOR'S DIRECTEUR DE CABINET, MOUSTAPHA NIASSE, TOLD EMBOFF THIS MORNING THAT PRESIDENT WISHED ME TO BE SPECIFICALLY INFORMED THAT HE HAD PERSONALLY DRAFTED AND SENT BY CABLE NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT NIXON EXPRESSING PLEASURE AT CURRENT ORIENTATION US FOREIGN POLICY AND PROGRESS MADE TOWARD ACHIEVING JUST AND DURABLE PEACE IN THE PRINCIPAL AREAS OF TENSION IN THE WORLD. NIASSE SAID SENGHOR WANTED US TO KNOW HE WAS REFERRING IN PARTICULAR TO HIS APPRECIATION FOR MOVEMENT TOWARD PEACE IN VIETNAM AND THE "ENCOURAGING EVOLUTION" CAMBODIAN SITUATION.

2. NIASSE SAID PRESIDENT DESIRED US BE AWARE HE HAS ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS THAT HIS MESSAGE SHOULD BE GIVEN MAJOR PLAY ON LOCAL MEDIA COVERAGE, WHICH INDEED IS HAPPENING.

3. NIASSE ALSO REFERRED TO FACT THAT PRESIDENT HAD INSTRUCTED
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FONMIN SECK TO ATTEND OUR NATIONAL DAY RECEPTION YESTERDAY

(DAKAR 2775) WHEREAS GOS OFTEN REPRESENTED IN PRO FORMA WAS
AT THESE AFFAIRS BY SEC OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS ADAMA
N'DIAYE.

4. EMBOFF TRIED TO OBTAIN FURTHER COMMENT ON GOS RECOGNITION OF PRG
DAKAR 2783 BUT WITHOUT SUCCESS.
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